of Iowa, That Section 2729 of Chapter 115 of the Revision of 1860 be so amended that the word "July" in the third line of said

section shall read January.

SEC. 2. Grand Jurors already drawn and selected shall serve until the first day of January 1862, and the time and manner of drawing and selecting such Grand Jurors be and the same are hereby legalized.

Sec. 3. All acts and parts of acts conflicting with this act are

hereby repealed.

SEC. 4. This act the passage being deemed of immediate importance, shall take effect from and after its publication in the Daily Iowa State Register and Daily Iowa State Journal any law to the contrary notwithstanding.

Approved, May 28th 1861.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act was published in the Daily Iowa State Register of May 31, 1861, and in the Daily Iowa State Journal of June 4, 1861. ELIJAH SELLS, Sec'y of State.

CHAPTER 7.

VOLUNTEER SOLDIERS.

AN ACT for the relief of the Volunteer Soldiers of this State.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa, That in all actions now pending, or hereafter pending in any of the Courts of this State or before any Justice of the Peace, it shall be a sufficient cause for a continuance, on motion of the defendant, his agent or attorney, if it shall be shown to the satisfaction of the Court or Justice of the Peace, that the defendant is absent from home in the actual military service of the United States or of this State, and that the defendant's presence is in any degree necessary for a full and fair defense of the suit. And in such case the costs of the continuance shall abide the event of the suit.

Sec. 2. This act shall take effect and be in force from and after its publication.

Approved May 28th, 1861.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act was published in Iowa State Journal of June 7th, 1861, and in Iowa State Register of June 5th, 1861.

ELIJAH SELLS, Sec'y of State.

CHAPTER 8.

SWAMP LANDS.

AN ACT giving control of the Swamp Lands in the several Counties of the State to the Board of Supervisors.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa, The Swamp Lands in the several Counties in the State be and the same are hereby placed under the control of the Boards of Supervisors of said counties respectively.

Sec. 2. The acts of all Boards of Supervisors in any County of this State in relation to Swamp Lands heretofore done and performed

are hereby legalized and ratified.

Sec. 3. This act being deemed of immediate importance shall be in force upon its publication in the Iowa State Register, Iowa State Journal and the Commonwealth or either two of said newspapers any law to the contrary notwithstanding.

Approved May 28th, 1861.

I hereby certify that the foregoing Act was published in Iowa State Journal of June 7th, 1861, and in Iowa State Register of June 12th, 1861. ELIJAH SELLS, Sec'y of State.

CHAPTER 9.

- 2, 8. Mileage and per diem of members and officers of the General
- Assembly. 4. Board of Education.
- 5. Referees State vs. James D. Eads.
- Night watch. 7, 8. Postage House and Senate.
- 9. Miscellaneous.
- 10. Chaplains.
 11, 12. Newspapers.
 18, Interest on State Bonds.
 14, 15, 16, Repairing Conit.
- 14, 15, 16, Repairing Capitol F. Michael—Distributing Journals.

· GENERAL APPROPRIATION.

AN ACT making appropriations for the per diem and mileage of members and officers of the Extra Session of the Eighth General Assembly and for other purposes.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa, That the following sums of money or so much thereof as may be necessary be and the same are hereby appropriated out of any moneys in the Treasury not otherwise appropriated.

SEC. 2. For the payment of the per diem and mileage of the members and officers of the Senate, including Lieutenant Governor, the